

SCHOOL NEWS

Could Not Decide on Nature of Party

SO IT NEVER TOOK PLACE

Field Day Exercises on May 5—Teams Will be Sent to Champaign and Gibson City Contests.

Last night was the time set by the members of the Senior class of the High school for their class party. The event did not take place, and thereby hangs a tale. It seems that the seniors carried on a good deal of legislation about the party which never occurred. When the matter was first brought up about a month ago all the students of the class were in favor of having an entertainment but they could not agree as to the nature of the affair. Some were in favor of holding the party at Columbia hall and having a regulation dance, but there were others of the class who do not indulge in dancing and who thought the proper thing would be to have the party at a private house. On this difference of opinion a vote was taken and the dancers carried their point by a few votes. Each member of the class who attended the party was to pay 15 cents, but as it was feared that those who did not dance would not be in attendance the dancing element was confronted with the fact that 15 cents per head would not be sufficient to pay the expenses of music and hall and it was decided that the dance would be too expensive. At a meeting held a day or two ago the motion to rescind the entire action of the class in regard to the party was carried. Some time soon, however, the seniors will give their customary entertainment in honor of the Junior class.

The members of the class in a week or two will select from among their number students to represent them at the commencement exercises. The valedictorian will probably be selected by the teachers but the salutatorian will be elected by the class. For the latter office there are two candidates, Frank Lindsay and Lee Boland, and both are doing quite a little elocution among the members of the class.

Yesterday Prof. Conradt presented each of the members of his chemistry class with a picture of himself. The photograph was taken by his son, Will Conradt, and shows the professor standing in his laboratory.

ATHLETICS. The members of the High School Athletic association have decided to hold their field day on May 5. All students of the High school who are not members of the association will be allowed to enter the contests on the payment of a fee of 25 cents. An admission of 10 and 15 cents will be charged at the gate to help defray the expenses. Besides other athletic contests there will be a fat men's race and a relay race between the different classes, the winners to make up the teams to go to the interscholastic contest at Champaign on May 20, and another High school contest at Gibson City on May 12. The boys expect to make enough money on their field day to pay the expenses of the team to Champaign. If they can secure a sufficient number of persons to go with them they will charter a special car.

Wall paper 2c per roll, glimmered 3c, gilt 4c at Scovill's.—18-16

Y. M. C. A. Notes. The members of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a meeting on Monday evening. New members will be admitted and other routine business transacted.

The members of the athletic committee together with some of the members of the gymnasium classes will meet on Monday evening to arrange for the summer work. The intention is to organize a base ball team, a tennis team and a track team. Several sites are being considered for grounds. The old place on West Eldorado street, the Cassell pasture and a lot in the northeast part of the city are among the places from which association grounds may be chosen.

The men's meeting will be held at the usual time tomorrow afternoon. The general secretary, Harry Patterson, will be the leader.

Recruiting Office. Arthur L. Fullmer, sergeant in charge of the recruiting office at Bloomington, writes that he will not open the recruiting station in Decatur until the latter part of the month. He expects to be here the first week in April but as there seems to be many enlistees at Bloomington who were willing to enlist Sergeant Fullmer will remain at that city.

A mammoth tooth was recently found weighing 80 pounds.

Sunday evening Father Magevney preached a sermon on the subject "The Purpose of Creation." The speaker first proceeded to show that this was one of the great questions agitating the minds of the thoughtful

and Scott, appeared for the prosecution and A. S. Shields, R. E. Shapley, D. T. Watson and J. M. Swearingar for the defense. The defendants bore themselves with self possession.

Twenty minutes were occupied in calling the panel of jurors and witnesses. Buzz of whispered conversation went around the court room when ex-Judge James Gordon and former District Attorney Graham, both of whom have been active in the prosecution of Senator Quay and his son, who were summoned as witnesses, entered.

There is a long list of witnesses for the prosecution, including Thomas W. Barlow, receiver of the broken People's Bank, State Treasurer Beacom, ex-State Treasurer Henry K. Royer, now director of the Philadelphia mint, James S. McManus, once a leader of the Republican machine in this city who was president of the People's Bank, George A. Kuhn, a leading stock broker of this city, through whom Quay transacted much of his business, David H. Lane, local Republican leader, Richard F. Looper, general manager of the assigned Guaranty Trust Co., through which the People's bank lost upwards of half a million, W. Montgomery, cashier of the Allegheny National bank of Pittsburgh, and experts who examined the books of the bank, in all over 50.

During his incumbency he said he alone had written 629 opinions, which with 57 in the circuit court and 305 in the California supreme court, made up a total of 1042 cases decided by him in his life.

Adjudged. WASHINGTON, April 10.—The supreme court adjourned today as a mark of respect to the memory of Justice Field.

WEAVER'S CASE. TAYLORVILLE, ILL., April 10.—Little progress was made Saturday in the Weaver embezzlement trial in the circuit court. Only three witnesses were examined for the prosecution, and no testimony was adduced that will in the least substantiate the charge made against Weaver. It looks now as though the case will last throughout this week. Judge Farmer, who is presiding at this term of the court, allows the jurors to separate at night. It is generally predicted that Weaver will be acquitted.

SCHOOL ELECTION. TAYLORVILLE, ILL., April 10.—At an election held in Taylorville township Saturday, J. S. Sharp defeated E. A. Fish for school trustee by 42 majority. E. A. Vandever was elected a member of the board of education of the township high school.

THE WEATHER. CHICAGO, April 10.—Illinois: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer in the southern and central portions tonight; brisk to high southerly winds.

TRIPP SELECTED. WASHINGTON, April 10.—The president has selected Bartlett Tripp of South Dakota, formerly minister to Austria, as United States' representative on the Samoan joint commission.

OVATION TO "TEDDY." CHICAGO, April 10.—Governor Roosevelt of New York left the hotel this morning with President Harper for the Chicago University, where he addressed the students. Crowds had been waiting around the hotel entrance for hours and when the colonel of the "Rough Riders" appeared he was cheered lustily.

POSTMASTER KILLED. ENID, O. T., April 10.—Postmaster T. M. Day was killed this morning and the office robbed. No clew.

TABOR DEAD. DENVER, COL., April 10.—Hon. H. A. W. Tabor, ex-United States senator, died at 9:30 today of apoplexy, after three days' illness.

VISIBLE SUPPLY. CHICAGO, April 10.—The visible supply of grain is as follows: Wheat 80,431,000, corn 33,841,000, oats 11,258,000.

Six infants were baptized at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday morning.

RIOTS AT PANA

Fresh Outbreak Among the Coal Miners--Started by a Drunken Colored Man in the Street.

Five People Killed in the Street Fight--Five Wounded--Mayor and Sheriff Call Again for Troops--No End to the Trouble.

PANA, ILL., April 10.—A big riot broke out in the town of Pana, Ill., this morning. The riot started in the streets with a drunken colored man who was shot and killed. The riot spread to the mines and the streets. Five people were killed and five were wounded. The Mayor and Sheriff called again for troops. There was no end to the trouble.

CALL FOR TROOPS.

PANA, ILL., April 10.—(Special to the Republican.)—As a result of the riot in the streets of Pana today five people were killed and five were wounded. Among those killed were John L. Roog, white, Union miner; Frank Coburn, son of ex-Sheriff; four unknown negroes, one of whom is a woman. The wounded were William Kuhn, proprietor of the laundry, shot through both legs; Albert Vickers, a white miner, shot in right arm; Cyrus Strickler, grocery man; George Gillen, farmer, arm shot off; Clara Felix, hotel servant, shot in the back, serious; Mrs. Henriett, wife of a union miner, arm shot off; Frank Handsworth, a delivery boy, shot in head, will die; Henry Stepping, a negro miner, six times shot through the body, likely to die.

REVISIT LIST OF CASUALTIES

PANA, ILL., April 10.—In the riot which started here this morning two white men, three negro men and one negro woman were killed and eight persons seriously wounded. Two or three of the wounded will die. The riot is still in progress. It started in front of the telegraph office between white and black miners and the deputy sheriffs took a hand.

THE KILLED.

X. L. ROOG, White, Union miner.

FRANK COBURN, Son of ex-Sheriff.

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at the present day. The answers given vary with the view point of the one who gives the answer, but only the christian can give a satisfactory answer, for he alone is guided in the solution of the problems of life by the light of revelation, which is as necessary as the light of reason. The answer of the christian is that we came from God as a creation of his love, which love is shown by the dignity of the nature put upon men and the special providence which watches over man's destiny. The speaker said that as man was a creation of God's love to God he must return and find rest forever. In this fact the christian finds his strength and hope. Another question is how we are going to secure our return to God, the answer to which is brief and simple. The speaker said that man is to insure his return to his creator by the observance of the laws of God as far as has been made manifest, and that living in the nobilities of revolution man cannot say with any ground of truth that he does not know God's will. In closing the speaker urged that during the time of the mission, which is a season of self-searching, each examine his attitude in the all important subject of destiny and whether he is living up to the laws of God. The observance of these laws may mean a good deal of sacrifice but he will not only willingly but gladly make these sacrifices if we realized the importance of salvation, the dangers to which we are constantly exposed and the fact that God once lost is lost forever.

This evening there will be a lecture by Father Bourman on the subject, "Confession a Divine Institution."

QUAYS ON TRIAL

Noted Politicians as Witnesses in the Case.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 10.—The trial of Senator Quay and his son, Richard, on charges of conspiracy in the misuse of the funds of the People's Bank of this city, began this morning. District Attorney Rothermel and his assistants, Finletter, Clement

DEATH CAME ON SUNDAY

To Former Chief Justice Stephen J. Field.

A FAMOUS JURIST

He Wore the Ermine for Nearly 35 Years.

SKETCH OF FIELD'S LIFE

A Native of Haddam, Conn., and Nearly 83 Years of Age—Famous in California's Early History—Appointed by Lincoln in 1863—Wrote 1042 Opinions.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Former Supreme Court Justice Stephen Johnson Field died Sunday evening at 5:30 o'clock at his home, 21 First street Northeast. His death had been momentarily expected since last midnight. Justice Field had been in ill health since his retirement from the supreme bench two years ago. Returning from a carriage ride on March 26, thoroughly chilled, Judge Field went to bed. A disorder of the kidneys developed in a few days and complicated his illness. Since then, although showing remarkable vitality, he gradually grew weaker.

Stephen Johnson Field was born at Haddam, Conn., November 4, 1816. He was the son of David Dudley Field and one of four brothers who became so famous. David Dudley, Cyrus W. and Henry M. Field being the other members of the great quartet that made their names known throughout the world. His early boyhood was spent at Stockbridge, Mass. At the age of 13 Stephen J. Field went to Snyrna, where his sister had married a missionary, the Rev. Josiah Brewer, who had undertaken an educational mission to the Greeks and he there acquired a knowledge of Oriental languages. He visited Europe in 1845 and in 1849 arrived in San Francisco, where he began practicing law. Subsequently he located at Marysville, Cal., a small mining camp where he was elected mayor and became the chief man among the miners. He was elected to California's first legislature and in 1857 was elected a judge of the California supreme court, in 1859 becoming chief justice. In 1863 he was appointed by Lincoln associate justice of the United States supreme court. He wore the ermine for nearly 35 years. Justice Field was a member of the Hayes-Tilden electoral com-

LAWTON TAKES SANTA CRUZ

Filipino Rebels Routed, Sixty-Eight Killed--Prisoners Taken--Driven to the Mountains.

News at Hong Kong on the Outlook for Continuation of the War--100,000 Soldiers Will be Required in the Philippines.

MANILA, April 10, 7 P. M.—General Lawton has captured Santa Cruz at the extreme end of the lake. He drove the rebels who were commanded by a Chinaman named Pao-Wah, into the mountains. The Americans had six wounded. The rebels lost 68 killed and 40 wounded.

Confirmation.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The following has been received from General Otis: "General Lawton captured Santa Cruz, the chief city of Laguna de Bay, this morning. The casualties were six wounded. The insurgents were driven out, leaving 68 dead on the field and a large number wounded. A considerable number were captured. Lawton will pursue."

War Not Yet Ended.

MANILA, April 7 via Hong Kong, April 10.—Though hundreds of Filipinos are daily returning to their homes, desirous of resuming peaceful pursuits, and though the proclamation issued by the Philippine commission has given an impetus to the movement, the war is far from ended. One of the foremost American generals said recently: "We will see 100,000 American soldiers in the Philippines before we can control the islands." A majority of the army is of his opinion.

It is generally considered that great reinforcements are necessary. All stories told by prisoners and friendly natives agree that a majority of the insurgents will be glad to quit, but there are enough professional revolutionists left to invest the country with bands of hundreds of men and demoralize business for years to come. Some high Americans believe that the government would wisely expend money by buying off Aguinaldo and his clique. Foreigners in Manila think Americans too optimistic as to the effect of the proclamation.

A majority of the volunteers are eager to return to their home. "We did not enlist to fight niggers," is a remark constantly heard. While braver work than they are doing it is impossible to find, they consider there is little glory in guerrilla warfare, the dangers and hardships of which cannot be appreciated at home. The Spanish system of defending Manila by blockhouses may be adopted during the wet season, as it requires fewer men than the trenches and such defenses lessen the chances of sickness among the defenders.

Going to Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., April 10.—Three batteries of light artillery from the east arrived and four batteries of heavy artillery are due this morning. It is proposed to send the light artillery direct to Manila, the heavy batteries to Honolulu for garrison duty. The 13th and 91st regulars are now on their way here and will proceed to Manila.

Cruiser to Manila.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The auxiliary cruiser Yosemite has arrived from Norfolk and will fit out for a voyage to Manila.

Fighting Today.

MANILA, April 10, 5 P. M.—The rebels along the railroad fired on a scouting party this afternoon, wounding two Kansas volunteers.

of Taylorville, will give an address on "Fraternal Insurance," after which a team from Springfield will install the new officers. The evening's entertainment will close with a grand ball. Taylorville, Springfield and Blue Mount will each send delegations to witness the installation. Some of the best talent in the city has been engaged to help make the program a success. Everybody should turn out and attend. No admission will be charged.

THE RALEIGH.

HAMILTON, BERMUDA, April 10.—The cruiser Raleigh from Manila arrived yesterday. All in good health. The usual salutes were exchanged. The shores were lined with soldiers and civilians and the British warships were crowded with men.

PEACE TREATY.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The exchange copy of the Spanish-American peace treaty reached Washington today. It is now in the hands of the French ambassador, who will at once arrange with the state department for the final exchange of ratifications. The final exchange of ratifications of the peace treaty is fixed for tomorrow afternoon at the white house.

DECATUR MARKETS.

The following are the Decatur quotations for Monday, April 10:

Grain—Shellabarger Mill and Elevator company pay the following: Wheat, 70 cents per bushel; white corn, 51c; yellow corn 20 cents; white oats 25 cents; mixed oats 24 cents; rye 25 cents.

Live Stock—Cows and heifers \$2.75 to \$3.75, steers \$2.50 to \$4.25, sheep \$3 to \$3.50, hogs \$2 to \$3.80.

Poultry—Quotations by Max Atlas: Hens and springs, 7½ cents per pound; stag, 6 cents; roosters 8 cents; hen turkeys 9 cents; old toms, 5 cents; ducks 5 cents; gobblers 7½ cents; geese 5 cents.

Eggs—Eggs sold today at 10 cents. Hides and Tallow—Quotations by Max Atlas: Hides 7½ cents per pound, tallow 3 cents per pound.

Hay—New timothy hay sells for 10 cents per ton.

Flour—The best grades of flour sold at \$2.90 per barrel.

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DECATUR GUARDS GOING TO PANAMA

The Company Will Leave for the City of Strikes on a
Special Train This Evening at 6:30.

Orders Sent to Captain Cassell to Report at Once to
Colonel Culver--Springfield and Taylorville
Companies Also Called Out.

The members of Company H of this city, Company B of Taylorville and Company C of Springfield, have been ordered to Panama. Captain Cassell received orders this afternoon from Adjutant General Reese to report at Panama as soon as possible.

The men of Company H are ordered to report at the armory immediately. The tents, blankets and other equip-

ments will be sent ahead and the men will find provisions already made for them when they arrive. Colonel Culver of the 5th regiment, who will be in command, is already at Panama. It is the purpose of Captain Cassell to leave on a special train tonight. At 3:30 p. m. he said he would have his men at the armory inside of an hour and a half.

Guards will leave at 6:30.

TRIAL FOR MURDER

Lynching of Postmaster Baker Recalled.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 10.—The trial of 13 citizens of Lake City for the murder of the lynched postmaster, Baker, colored, began here today. Three hundred and fifty witnesses will be examined. Two of those against whom indictments were returned have turned state's evidence. They are Joseph P. Newman and Early P. Lee. They told how the mob moved stealthily to the Baker house; how oil was poured on the building and of setting it on fire; of the wild cries from the house when the helpless inmates awoke, half suffocated, to flee, then to be shot down. Baker's crippled family came here for the trial. The mother of the children was badly wounded. When the house was burned she was holding her baby in her arms. When she started to the door a bullet passed through one arm, broke the bone and buried itself in the head of the baby. The children were driven out by the flames and met by a rain of lead. The night was bitterly cold. Wounded, bleeding and freezing the children crawled into the woods where they remained during the night. They were nearly dead when rescued.

DELIBERATE MURDER.

McLEANSBORO, ILL., April 10.—Frank Thorrick, living near Hickory Hill church, in the southern part of this county, went to the house of his brother-in-law, Mark Barger, last night, and stabbed him dead with a knife. No particulars. Both men are well known.

TROUBLE AT WHEELING.

WHEELING, W. VA., April 10.—No street cars have been run by the Wheeling company since Saturday on account of a strike of employees. The company called on the mayor for policemen for each car, but the request was not complied with, as the police notified the chief they would resign in a body. It is understood that the company has asked the governor for troops, but the mayor refused to consent, which was necessary. The strike is likely to spread to other lines.

MORTUARY.

DUBUQUE, IOWA, April 10.—Thomas Hardie, a leader in the educational and Masonic circles of the northwest, died this morning, aged 80 years. He was secretary of the Dubuque board of education for 10 years and a resident of Iowa for half a century.

The "Mother Goose" entertainment which was given at the First Baptist church on last Thursday evening will be repeated in the near future.

Charles Richards of Farmer City spent Sunday in Decatur the guest of Miss Anna Wright.

The Cup and Sancer club will be entertained by Miss Gertrude Kitchen at her home at the corner of Marietta and Orchard streets on Tuesday evening.

Pleurisy

Pleurisy and pneumonia are acute inflammations of the lungs, and if not promptly allayed, the worst may happen. The celebrated Dr. John W. Bull's Cough Syrup speedily allays all inflammation of the lungs and effects a cure in a wonderfully short time.

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County Court.

The April term of the county court opened today. There are about 80 people's cases on the docket. The people's cases were continued until next week when they will be disposed of in some manner. Today the case against Eugene Linow, who was charged with the betrayal of a girl, was dismissed by the state's attorney at the request of the complaining witness.

Will Filed.

The will of the late Joseph Schneider was filed for probate in the county court today. Anna Schneider being the petitioner. The hearing of the will was set for May 8.

While There is Life There is Hope.

I was afflicted with catarrh; could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Dr. E. C. Cream Balm cured me.—Marcus G. Shantz, Rahway, N. J. The Balm reached me safely and the effect is surprising. My son says the first application gave decided relief. Respectfully, Mrs. Franklin Freeman Dyer, N. H. A 10c trial size or the 50c size of Dr. E. C. Cream Balm will be mailed. Kept by druggists. Ely Bros, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

—Sherman Winslow of Pittsfield, N. J., is the guest of Decatur friends. Creight Webb is again confined to his home with rheumatism of the eyes.

The rehearsals for the Messiah are weekly showing encouraging features. The chorus has diminished slightly on account of the revivals, which demanded the services of a number of the singers. Every one seems to be greatly interested in the work and the chorus is holding to the original number of about 150. No principals have been selected as yet.

Don't fail to attend the ball Wednesday evening. K. of P. hall. Admission free.—10-43t

—Brown Whitsell of Ft. Wayne, Ind., is in the city for a short visit. No extra charge for those large cushion rubber tired wheels on Scovill's baby buggies.—15-1t

—Clyde Leach has taken the position of stenographer for the Decatur Gas company.

One hundred new members have been received into the First Presbyterian church in the past year.

Remember the date, April 12, E. A. of A. entertainment and ball.—10-43t Public installation of officers at K. of P. hall by the E. A. of A. Wednesday evening. Admission free.—10-43t

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon.

"Kindling Wood" will be the subject of the prayer meeting services at the First Baptist church on Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Prayer Meeting Circle of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Hugh Greer of West Macon street on Friday afternoon. Special prices on gas carts at Scovill's.—15-1t

The entrance to the Powers building has been repainted and the elevator treated to a new coat of paint and gilding inside and out.

Several fishing excursions are already well under way. Iron beds that are 6 ft. high for sale at Scovill's.—15-1t

PEACE CONFERENCE.

LONDON, April 10.—It is officially announced that the British ambassador at Washington, Sir Julian Pauncefote, and the British minister at The Hague, H. Howard, have been appointed British representatives at the czar's peace conference. They will be assisted by Vice Admiral Sir John Fisher and Major General Sir John Arleigh, naval and military experts.

Presbyterian Delegates.

Mrs. R. C. Wells, Mrs. M. W. Shultz and Miss Carrie Powers left this afternoon for Lincoln in order to be present at the meeting of the executive board of the Woman's Presbyterian Missionary society which will be held this evening preceding the opening of the meeting tomorrow. Mrs. H. B. Lewis, Mrs. William Baldrige, Miss Lulu Jones, Miss Lucy Roberts, Mrs. R. P. Lytle, Miss Mattie Brown, Mrs. A. J. Simpson, Dr. W. H. Pennington, A. H. Mills and others will leave on the early train tomorrow morning.

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35 pieces of Novelty Dress Goods, in Plaids, Checks and Fancies, worth from 50c to 75c a yard, at yd.....	39c
34 pieces of Choice Fancy Dress Goods, all wool and silk and wool mixtures, from 40 to 50 inches wide, regular value 75c to \$1.25, all marked, yard.....	49c

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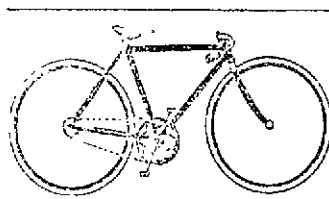
LOT 1—10 pieces full bleached all linen Table Damask, this week, per yard.....	39c
LOT 2—10 pieces Fine Satin Damask, 66 inches wide, all linen, 6 designs to select from, this week per yard.....	50c
LOT 3—10 pieces extra quality Double Satin Damask, all linen, 6 designs to select from, the 50c grade, this week at per yard.....	58c

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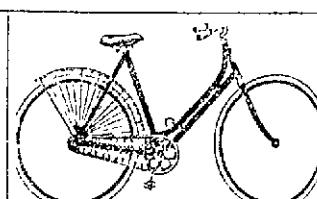
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Granite	25c, 30c	
Union	30c and 35c	
Extra Super	40c	
Half Wool	45c	
All Wool	50c, 55c, 60c	
Best Lowell	65c—not 75c or 85c	
Stair Carpets.....	15c a yard and up	

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Working work wherever introduced as nearly miracu

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that on

Tuesday, the 18th day of April,

1929,

next at

Young precinct number one in the First Ward

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.

In the Circuit Court for the State of Illinois,

County of Macon.

People's Savings and Loan Association, Complainant,

vs. Adam Mathews et al., Defendants.

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People's Column.

Advertisements of Party were

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cents per week, payable in advance

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

WANTED.

WANTED—You to know that John Russell, the

fortune teller, is at 1215 N. Water Street.

Go see him—he can beat them all. Price 25c.

Apr 10-11

WANTED—A few first-class painters, W. H.

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WANTED—Several first-class broom makers.

Apply at this office.

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WANTED—Barbers at the Hardman Barn

have leased the above building at the

corner of East Prairie and Jackson streets, and

an appropriate sign will be placed in the city.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A choice lot of shade trees, ever-

green and deciduous, either at wholesale

or retail. Will be sold cheap. They can be

seen. Call at the nursery just north of the

Tuttle brick yard. HUGH LORAN 254-1

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FOR RENT—The most modern of offices

rooms in the city. Apply to J. F. GIVEN.

March 22-23

FOR RENT—The Danzmann apartment house

property, 1000 North Main Street, well and

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TO CANADA.

Novelties For Spring.

SASH AND STOCK CLASPS In Large Variety.

As the Styles and Patterns are being produced in many ways we do not undertake to illustrate them. We are receiving New Styles almost every day in Imported French Designs. We have a fine assortment in Fancy Enamels, enameled with Jewels, Cut Steel Ornaments, Open Work in Gun Metal Color, Gilt and Silver Finish, as well as the very popular French Gray, varying in price from 50c to \$8.00 each—all made strong for good service as well as style.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke the Little J., 5-cent cigar, made by Jacob Keck.

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. June 22-dif

Smoke the Little J. Guaranteed to contain no artificial flavor.—1-dif

Fine candies at Glossner's, 143 East Prairie.

Fresh Kentucky blue grass and white clover. New stock of flower and garden seed. Nasturtium and sweet peas in bulk. First door south of opera house. Hughes & Funk.—11-dif

J. B. Ehrhart, painter and decorator. Office West side Lincoln square under Parlor Meat Market.—march 25-lmo

A number of cases of diphtheria have been reported at Mt. Zion but as yet there has been no deaths.

W. H. Spence, painting, paper hanging, kalsomining, etc. New phone, oee 327, residence 615.—5-dif

The people admire, praise and buy the Chickering and Packard pianos on sale at the C. B. Prescott music house because they are first class instruments.

"A word to the wise is sufficient" and a word from the wise should be sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft repeated experience of trustworthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Mr. W. M. Terry says Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people and is the best. For sale by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

A man only understands what is akin to something already existing in himself.—Amiel.

A Life for 50c.

Many people have been cured of kidney diseases by taking a 50c bottle of Kieley's Kidney Cure. H. W. Bell, N. I. Krohn, W. H. Hubbard.

City Directory.

C. O. Ebel & Co. began work today on the 1899 city directory for Decatur. It is expected that the work will be finished by the 1st of July.

Y. M. C. A. Number.

The Decatur Gun company has loaned their fine \$300 "graphophone grand" to the Y. M. C. A. for a short concert preceding the lecture at the opera house on Tuesday evening. The lecture will not begin until 8:15 and from 8 until the curtain rises the people will be entertained by a fine graphophone program. Charles Steele will manipulate the instrument. The number for tomorrow evening is the closing entertainment of the Star Course. Arrangements are already under way for the next year's course, which will consist of more numbers and the finest array of talent to be found.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pittman*

W. R. C. Meeting.

Regular meeting of Daughters Relief Corps Tuesday, April 11 at 2:30 p. m. in G. A. R. hall. A full attendance is desired as there is business of importance to transact. Emma I. Brown, President; Mira H. Mark, Secretary.

Y. M. C. A. Base Ball.

The athletic committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet this evening to complete arrangements for the organization of a Y. M. C. A. base ball team. Some of the local players will meet with them and it is very likely that the organization will be effected this evening. The committee on grounds and equipment will make their reports. The athletic committee consists of Frank Ewing chairman, Lewis White, William Ayers, T. C. McIntyre and Charles Pennington.

Skipped the Town.

Will Morgan, Bob Randol, Eva Vincent and Laura Siler have skipped out of the city. The boys fixed up a covered wagon and a set of double harness was taken from Randol's father. It is not known where they got the horses and wagon but get them they did and they have left in their gypsy outfit for parts unknown. The young people have all given their parents a good deal of trouble and their last act was the climax.

COLDS

Colds are easily taken and often develop into bronchitis or consumption. You should cure a cold promptly with Dr. John W. Bull's Cough Syrup. This celebrated remedy is most efficient and will cure a cold at once.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

Promptly cures Stubborn Colds.

Dose: one small and pleasant to take. Doctors recommend it. Price 25 cts. At all druggists.

ROYAL TIME

Members Danville T. P. A. Post Outdo Themselves

A LAVISH ENTERTAINMENT

Joe Bixby Gets an Office.—C. J. McConnell and J. W. Allen National Delegates.—Women Joyously Received.

"Danville simply can't be beat" is the verdict of the delegates and members of Post K. T. P. A., who attended the state T. P. A. convention held at that place on Saturday. According to the fortunate ones Danville's lavish hospitality has never been equaled in the history of state conventions. Nothing but the comfort and pleasure of the visitors was considered and from the time they reached the city until they departed they were entertained in a royal manner.

The visitors were met at the train by carriages and driven to the Plaza, the leading hotel, where they were entertained. During the time in which the men discussed affairs of business the ladies were enjoying themselves hugely. They were first taken for a carriage drive about the city. When they returned streets cars were waiting to take them to the Soldiers' Home and on their return from this trip a reception was tendered them at the home of a member of the Danville Post, by the Danville ladies. An elaborate luncheon was served and at the close they were driven back to the hotel to dress for the grand banquet which was served at 8:30 o'clock at the Armory, the hotel dining room not being large enough to accommodate the guests. There were 370 at the banquet table. Henry B. Coway presided. Preceding the banquet there was a literary and musical program in which Arthur Gillespie distinguished himself in the rendition of a monologue. The Danville paper says: "He captured the audience from the time he stepped on the platform."

Following the banquet there was a colored cake walk by the elite of the colored society.

BUSINESS OF CONVENTION.

The convention was the best ever held. Mrs. C. J. McConnell in behalf of the Woman's auxiliary of Decatur presented the resolution that an auxiliary of the T. P. A. be organized. The resolution was received and placed on file. The idea proved to be one of the most popular that has been presented at any convention. Both the state and national officers have taken it up and are working for its success with great vim and earnestness. The national secretary volunteered to present the resolution to the Missouri T. P. A. on next Thursday and the national president will present the matter to the Indiana T. P. A. on next Saturday. Mrs. McConnell was requested to present the resolution at the national convention, which will be held at Louisville, Ky., on May 14, 15, 16 and 17. Mr. C. J. McConnell was selected as the delegate from the Decatur Post and J. W. Allen was named as his alternate.

It was voted that the state convention of 1900 be held at Jacksonville. Among the courtesies extended the visitors were: A half-pound box of confectionery given to each visiting lady by the lending confectioner of the city; leather cigar cases each containing three 10-cent cigars to the gentlemen and season tickets to the La Pearl circus to the gentlemen by the managers of the show.

The delegates from Decatur were Messrs. C. J. McConnell, C. A. Hupp, Fred Tattle, W. E. Carter, A. P. Darby, T. P. Matthews and Gus Aircens. The gentlemen were accompanied by their wives. Mrs. McConnell represented the Woman's Auxiliary.

Officers were elected as follows: President—E. C. Burrows, Peoria. First Vice President—F. G. Irwin, Quincy. Second Vice President—H. B. Coway, Danville. Third Vice President—J. G. Bixby, Decatur.

Secretary-Treasurer—F. H. Putnam, Peoria. Directors—Frank Locks, H. G. Miller, Peoria, and W. H. Heigaard, Chicago.

THE STAGE.

RUSSELL. An early attraction at the Grand, April 19, will be the eminent comedian and his notable company of artists. Mr. Russell this season will appear in a new and original comedy in four acts written especially for him by Charles Klein. It is said that Mr. Russell has made an elaborate production of the "Honorable John Grigsby," and one that eclipses anything he has heretofore attempted. The supporting company is a very superior one and includes a number of prominent names in the large list of artists.

Ministerial Conference Ended.

The United Brethren ministers of the city returned on Saturday evening from Lexington, where they attended the ministerial conference of central Illinois, which was held at that place

last week. The Decatur ministers appeared on the program as follows: "Homiletics: Eloquence and Style"—Rev. M. B. Spayd, Decatur. "Church Discipline"—Rev. J. A. F. King, Decatur. On Monday evening Rev. Z. T. Hatfield of Decatur preached. Thursday evening Rev. M. B. Spayd gave a "Study in Old Testament Chronology." Wednesday evening Rev. Z. T. Hatfield of Decatur lectured on the history and growth of the Sabbath school.

OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Rev. L. Field, Decatur. Vice President—Rev. D. O. Elant, Argenta. Secretary and Treasurer—Rev. Z. T. Hatfield, Decatur. Teacher of Theology—Rev. C. A. Thoru. Teacher of Homiletics—Rev. M. B. Spayd, Decatur. Teacher of Church Discipline—Rev. J. A. F. King, Decatur. Teacher of Bible—Rev. Ella Niswonger. The next session of the conference will be held at Saybrook.

"THERE WAS NO DANGER."

Was What Mr. Myers Said When Handling Dynamite.

In speaking of the accident at Kenney in which Matthew Myers lost his life, the Kenney Gazette gives the following particulars:

"He had just returned from dinner to his work and was heating the dynamite and getting it ready for use. He had a fire in a shovel in one hand and a stick of dynamite in the other. The explosive had begun to melt and one of his hands, William McDorman, made the remark that he would be blown to atoms with dynamite some day, and he said: 'There's no danger, see that's all now,' and held up a stick. Mr. McDorman turned to go to work and heard an explosion, followed by a second tremendous explosion, being caused by the shock from the first, causing about 12 pounds of dynamite, which was in a basket at his feet, to go off, mauling him terribly and blowing his right leg, below the knee, into atoms, pieces of which were found over 100 yards from where the accident occurred."

Loyal Temperance Union.

A Loyal Temperance Legion was organized at the W. C. T. U. rooms on Saturday afternoon with the following officers:

General Superintendent—Mrs. Maggie White. Associate Superintendent—Mrs. C. D. Akers. Secretary—Fannie Price. Treasurer—Dec Akers. Another meeting will be held next Saturday.

Bethesda—A Cure.

Bethesda Mineral Spring Water is a cure for Bright's Disease, Diabetes and kindred affections, and has been the means of restoring to health many hundreds of invalids. So well established is the curative power of this wonderful water that the most successful physicians freely prescribe and fully endorse it, for all diseases of the kidneys or bladder. Sold in sealed half-gallon bottles. Write for booklet to Bethesda Mineral Spring Co., Waukesha, Wis.

Gone to Colorado.

J. Frank Jones, late manager of the circulating department of the Review, and Robert F. Chroustler, formerly of the Wabash, left Sunday for Akron, Colorado. They took with them their household goods and besides Mr. Jones shipped 35 head of Polled Angus cattle, four head of horses and other stock necessary to the ranch business. Messrs. Jones and Chroustler will enter into the ranch business on land they have secured in Colorado. Mr. Jones will return to Decatur in the fall.

New Elevators.

John Crocker and Thomas Costello are building a new elevator at Maroon. It will have a capacity of 75,000 bushels of grain. The erection of the building is being carried on under the direction of George Morris of Decatur. Messrs. Crocker and Costello are also making arrangements to build an elevator of 50,000 bushels capacity at Oreana.

The Alumni.

The members of the High school alumni society will hold a meeting soon to make arrangements for the annual banquet which will be given to the graduating class. The nature of the entertainment has not yet been decided upon. It has been suggested that instead of giving a banquet this year to give a reception at a residence or a lawn fete.

Highest in His Class.

Foster Waltz is home from Chicago, where he attended the Chicago Dental college. He graduated last Wednesday and was the highest in the class. He will be associated with his father, Dr. A. S. Waltz, in the practice of dentistry.

BROTT FUNERAL

Modern Woodmen Members Attend in a Body.

Sermon by Rev. S. H. Bowyer at Baptist Church.

The funeral of the late George W. Brott was held Sunday forenoon at 10:45 o'clock at the First Baptist church. The funeral was held at the hour of the regular morning service and there was a large attendance, the church being crowded. The members of both Eastern and Decatur Camps M. W. of A., attended the services in a body. Rev. S. H. Bowyer conducted the services which opened with a prayer, followed by a selection by the choir and scripture reading. Another hymn was given by the choir and Rev. Bowyer read an obituary of the deceased and preached a brief sermon. He spoke of how the human soul cried out to God for help in all things, and addressing himself to the representatives of the lodges said that the members were in the battle of life and in order to succeed with the best possible success they must do as its text recommended and take God into their counsel, their lives and their plans. The music for the occasion was given by a choir composed of Mrs. A. W. Wilmoth, Miss Sallie Spragg, Harry Kepler and C. C. Curtis.

The burial was at Greenwood cemetery, to which place the remains were escorted by the Woodmen lodge, headed by the Woodman band. At the grave the Woodmen conducted their ritual services. The funeral procession was unusually large. The pall bearers were the following, selected from Eastern Camp, of which the deceased was a member: J. W. Buma, C. C. Maris, W. F. Magee, F. D. Zitterland, J. W. Cheeney and George Newman.

If Coffee Digests

All is well. About one person in three suffers some form bodily ail that gradually disappears when coffee is left off entirely.

Then "what to drink" is the question. Postum Food Coffee is the nearest approach in taste (identical when carefully made) but instead of being a drug, it is the highest form of nourishment, fattening and strengthening babies, children and adults.

Oreana.

Quite a number of farmers are sowing oats. The old dump belonging to Crocker & Co., which is being torn down will be replaced by a new elevator with a ground dump. Capacity 20,000 bushels.

S. B. Stewart's store is now lighted with gas manufactured from gasoline. Mrs. Dr. Dixon of Decatur visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby, Saturday and Sunday.

The gravel road talk is a thing of the past it seems. The new addition to Jessa Burgess' house is about completed. A few young folks spent Saturday evening at Mr. Kirby's, where everybody enjoyed a very pleasant time.

Wall paper 2c per roll, glimmered 3c, gills 4c at Seavill's.—18-1f

The Maccabees.

The members of the Knights of Maccabees will give an entertainment next Wednesday evening. Fourteen new members will be initiated and Grand Commander James P. Downer and Lieutenant Commander H. L. Storms will be present and assist in the services. After the initiation there will be a spread in the Chevalier Bayard hall.

To Assist Mr. Harrison.

J. H. Kirkbridge of Camden, N. J., representing the American Bible company, is in the city and will remain for some time. He will assist Evangelist Harrison in his meeting this week. He occupied the Grace M. E. pulpit last evening.

The prettiest baby buggies at Seavill's.—18-1f

Surgical Operation.

Dr. Will Barnes, assisted by Dr. Will Wood, on Saturday afternoon performed an operation on Mrs. Ormsby of South Seigel street. An operation for malformation was performed on an infant by Dr. Wood, assisted by Drs. Myers and Eddy, on Saturday.

Head Salesman.

Harvey Boyer, who for a number of years was a clerk in George A. Power's shoe store, has taken a position as head salesman with C. L. Gill & Co., in their new store on North Water street.

Made a Corporal.

Jerry Nicholson has been made a corporal in Company H. He held the office when the company was in the volunteer service.

TWENTY-SEVENTH YEAR

MARTIAL LAW AT AGAIN IN

Strikers and Negro Miners Quiet
orderly Demonstrations--Down

Deputy Sheriffs Disarmed--Bus
Stores and Saloons--Inq
tims of Monday's

PANA, ILL., April 11.—Quietness prevails here this morning. The stores and saloons have reopened but there is little business doing.

All of the deputies will be disarmed and the soldiers alone will control the mine. They have been kept busy dispersing troops and keeping people moving.

Flatman district was gone over by the adjutant general. Everything is quiet there.

The coroner said this morning that rumor had come to him that other bodies are lying in the outskirts of the city. The inquest on the bodies of the dead will be held today.

None of the miners are in operation and the negro miners, feeling secure under military protection, have filled the streets and mingled freely with the striking white miners whose places they have filled.

Sheriff Downey Roasted.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 11.—Sheriff Downey and delegations of citizens from Pana called on Governor Tanner this morning and protested against the presence of troops there, claiming that order was restored several hours before the troops arrived. The governor severely rebuked the sheriff for leaving Pana while the riot was at its height; declared that he would not hear any criticism on the action of the executive; said the delegation was coloring its statements and having out very material facts. He hoped soon to withdraw the troops and restore civil authority.

Mayor Penwell's Statement.

PANA, April 11.—Mayor Penwell issued a statement today in which he declared that yesterday's shooting was begun by deputies, principally composed of striking miners, that the negroes did not begin it from the tower of the Penwell mine. The negroes feared trouble and demanded \$100 but were refused till one of them had been wounded and they were instructed to fire only in self defense. Six of his men were wounded. The deputies, whose duty it was to protect them, never made a move in that direction. The marks of bullets indicate that the heaviest fire was directed at the Penwell mine buildings. The Mayor Penwell has gone to Chicago to live for the present as his life has been frequently threatened.

Still Another.

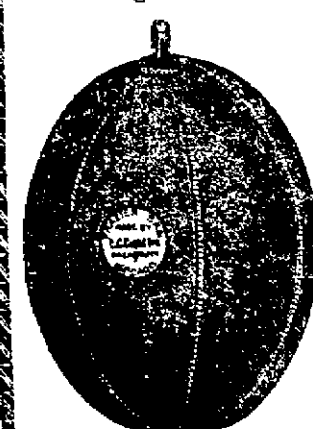
PANA, April 11.—Company D of the 68th infantry arrived at noon from Libonington.

What a Pana Man Says.

A man who lives at Pana arrived in Decatur today and tells of the fight which occurred at that city yesterday. In speaking to a reporter of the matter he said: "No one can have any idea of how bad the fight was unless they were present. It was by far the worst trouble the people of Pana have ever had and the excitement was intense. The trouble started over the capture of the mine man that started the other trouble. Stevens was drunk and disorderly and when the attempt was made to arrest him he began shooting. It was a bullet from his gun which killed McCague, who was an innocent victim. The union men were enraged and went after the negroes who were working in the mines. The fight was between the negroes and the white people. The negroes shot from the tops of the shafts and did not care who they killed just so they were white. The deputy sheriffs joined in with the union men. In all there were nine killed and about 15 wounded."

Slaughter Sale of Boxing Gloves and Striking Bags

We are determined to close out our large stock of Bags and Gloves within the next ten days. All of these goods are of good make and are of fresh stock.



BAGS.	
Former Price \$4.00.	Cut Price \$3.40
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